

Please have my comments read aloud and recorded into the meeting minutes.

Do not make dual conveyance, the Delta tunnels, a promoted option or preferred alternative at this time. Instead, do the comprehensive review and analysis required by the Delta Reform Act and such other things as a benefit-cost analysis before declaring the Tunnels or anything else to be the promoted option and preferred alternative. We are asking for you to think first, act later. Why is there a rush for approval for a project without Federal permits, and without a financial plan?

I would have been at this meeting but I was not given adequate time to change my schedule and travel to the meeting.

Best Regards,

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